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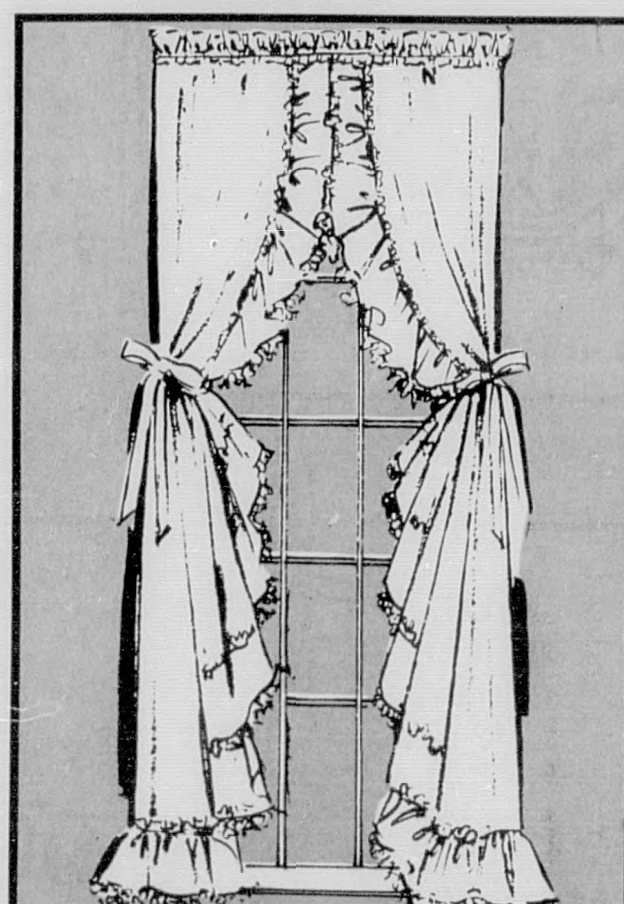
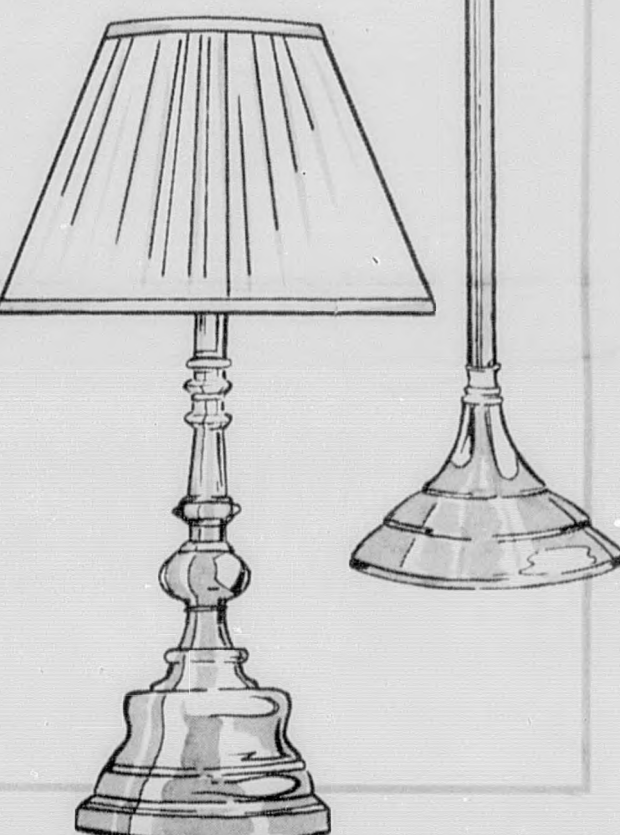
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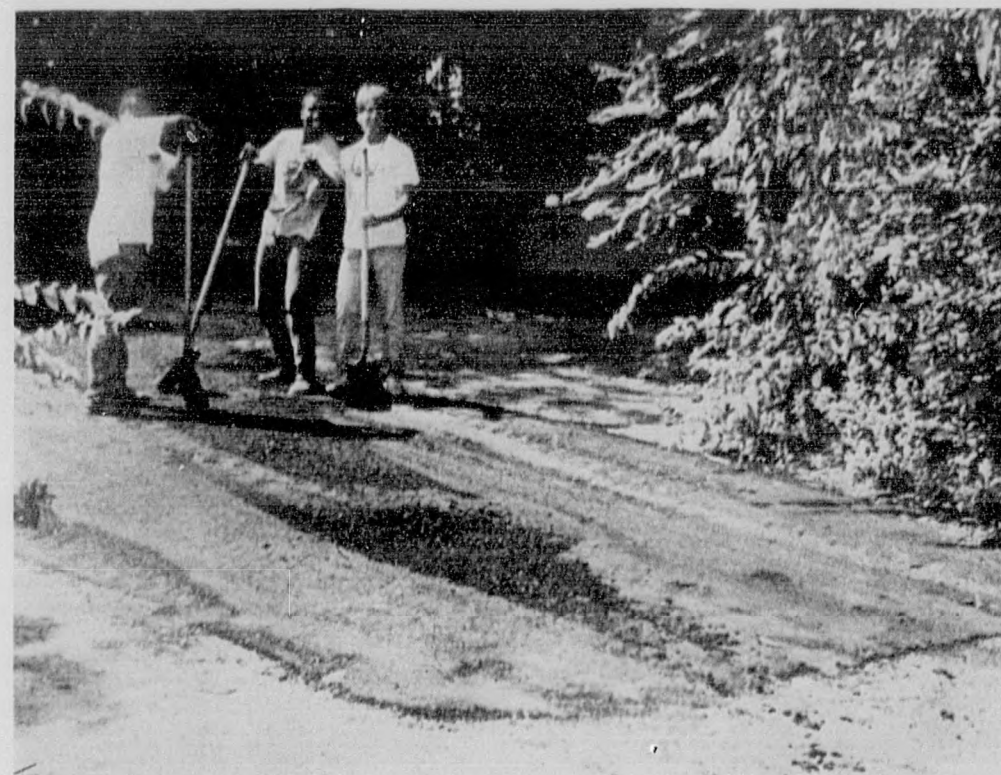
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MORE WORK ON PRIVATE PROPERTY was reported to the newspaper last Thursday morning. This project apparently is not as completely wrong as some others could be. Several different versions were given to this newspaper and we have chosen to present the words of the property owner. She explained that the city trucks tore a hole in her drive months ago when removing a limb from a large oak tree endangering a power line. She asked that they repair the hole and all agreed it was the city's responsibility since their work caused the problem. She added that this was all she asked for but when they spilled more asphalt out than was needed, they had to spread it out or leave her drive in a worse mess. Therefore by the time the photographer arrived, about three-fourths of the drive had been resurfaced. This varies somewhat from what city employees say as at times they told representatives of this newspaper that the city trucks tore the hole, did other damage including breaking off all along the edge and some other worn spots near the street. City workers failed to make any reference to accidentally spilling extra asphalt.

Jaycees Plan To Feature Candidates
For Mayor In Public Forum

The Elba Jaycees Mayoral Forum will be held August 16, 1988 at 7:30 p.m. in the Elba High School Auditorium.

At press time the Jaycees indicate they have received a positive reaction from each of the five candidates for mayor of Elba and all will be participating in the event.

The group has released the following format for the event:

*There will be an initial three minutes per candidate allowing each to state qualifications etc.

*Candidates will then pick a

question by drawing a 3 X 5 index card from a box. Each question will be typed and in a sealed envelope. It is possible for more than one candidate to get the same question, as five copies of each will be prepared.

The candidate will draw the question, read it to himself and pass it to the mediator who will read it aloud. The candidate then has two minutes in which to respond. A bell will ring after two minutes to end the answering of that question.

*Each candidate will answer five questions and after each candidate has answered the five questions, they will then be given five minutes to answer the audience's questions which they were unable to address previously.

*The mediator will then accept questions from the floor for any pointed election officials for the upcoming city elections. A legal notice appears elsewhere in this issue of The Elba Clipper listing these officials.

Mayor Bob English told council members of the major items causing the bills to exceed the sixteen thousand. They included League of Municipalities dues of \$920; chemicals at \$1772; bush hog repair at \$1095; telephone bill of \$656.00; street sweeper repair at \$2024.00.

Voting Machine Ready For Practice



VOTING MACHINE HELP is available to Elba voters at the Elba City Hall. Above Collis Parrish, who is responsible for maintaining and setting up the machines explains that there is actually an Elba ballot in this machine for people to practice on at their convenience. City employees are available to help potential voters and to assist with the registration of unregistered voters. It can all be done in city hall.

Municipal voters are urged to find out the ward in which they reside and just where residents in that ward are assigned to vote. There are still voters who aren't aware that they have a new place to vote in city elections, following the federal lawsuit allowing for single member districts. Registered voters can check the voter's list published in the last issue of The Elba Clipper to determine their ward. Newly registered voters can find out from the supplemental list to be published in the August 18 issue of the newspaper or by checking with city hall.

Ward 1 residents will vote at the old Mulberry school; Ward 2 voters will vote at the Army Reserve Center on Claxton Avenue; Ward 3 voters will vote in the recreation building at the old city pool, just across the river bridge; Ward 4 voters will cast their ballots at the public library; and Ward 5 citizens will vote at the National Guard Armory on Airport Road.

Handicap ramps are being prepared at each of these facilities and there will be one voting machine at each location. There is also one located at city hall prior to the election to benefit those who want to practice with the machines. Someone in city hall will be available to explain the working of the machine.



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WEEK

Elba School Board Reviews Money

The Elba City School Board met Tuesday evening in a meeting postponed from last Thursday. Such a delay is not unusual when the meeting falls early in the month and the financial reports are not ready.

A review of the financial statement revealed a drop in ending balance of the General Fund of \$20,000 but after Superintendent Lamar Foley reviewed the statement, board members were satisfied that the amount was for pre-approved one time expenditures. They also noted the balance was much larger than the \$21,000 they had at the beginning of school one year ago.

A report of the status of the child nutrition program was presented by Roland Powell who noted the summer feeding program operated

by the school for the City of Elba had been a success. He said they served 19,343 meals in forty days, for an average of 483 a day and it could be larger next year with a little more effort and planning.

Powell also reported on the opening of bids for supplies in the lunchrooms for the coming year. Milk and bread will be cheaper next year by 14% and 12% respectively. Meats will vary, with pork down 7% and beef up 6%. Chicken and fish will remain stable while vegetables will be up 12% to 15%. The milk will be bought from Dairy Fresh, the bread from Flowers Baking Co. who will use USDA furnished flour. Elba Packing Co. W. J. Powell and Springfield Foods will supply the other needed foods.

The School Board accepted a recommendation that the price of meals remain the same for the next year. Powell explained that even though the overall cost would be up, the financial condition of the funds and some expected help from government commodities will enable them to hold the price this year.

A letter of appreciation was approved for Mrs. Ernestine Ellenburg, who retired after eighteen years and three months with the lunchrooms.

Foley told board members that all three schools had received a good report following the annual audit performed by a CPA. This is funds not funneled through the central office, but generated and kept by the individual schools.

Bill Rayborn was returned to the ranks of assistant coaches following several years when he dropped out to be able to watch a son play ball. The board also hired Donna McCollough to teach social studies. She is a native of Enterprise.

The board heard a request from the City of Elba that an old block building at Mulberry be torn down because it has become an eyesore. The board members noted they had no opposition to this if the city would remove it at no cost to the board.

After a lengthy discussion of the many problems with funding etc., the board tabled any action on the amount charged for using school buses off their regular route. Presently the records call for charging 50¢ a mile plus the pay of the driver. However, Foley said that in actual practice, nothing was being charged for mileage.

Liability insurance for school buses was purchased from Pinckard and Sharpless at a price of \$2932.50, a saving of over \$1,000 from the previous year when the insurance was bought from a special state school board trust fund. Liability insurance for personnel, including board members, teachers and students will continue to be bought from the trust fund at a cost of about \$2758.00.

New Driver Ed Car Received By
Local High School Staffers

Elba High School has received a 1988 Chevrolet Spectrum from Chevrolet to further students' automotive mechanic careers.

Nearly 6,000 brand-new passenger cars and trucks, damaged by accidents, floods or other mishaps on their way to dealer showrooms, have been donated to schools for in-class industrial purposes.

Richard E. Lannen, Chevrolet's

Sales Manager-Service & Customer Satisfaction, stated that in the past 15 years most of the 50 states have received these free vehicles for their vocational/education programs.

The Chevrolet program also includes donated cars or passenger cars and truck engines, transmissions, tools and various major automotive components used for testing and development.

Elba High School received the car with the aid of Cook Chevrolet of Elba.



Pictured are (L-R): Assistant Elba High School principal John Jefferson; Jim Cook of Cook Chevrolet, Lloyd Lewis, Automotive instructor at Elba High School; a representative of General Motors; and Mickey McCollough, principal at Elba High School, as the school officials receive the Chevrolet Spectrum given by Chevrolet.

COLORED BACKGROUND

BRAINSTORMS

By Ferrin Cox

We thought a storm was coming our way, but the latest we read about it is that now the bad weather isn't so bad and is headed either west or north of New Orleans. We didn't mind the thought of some heavy rain, but really didn't want a storm tearing down trees, power lines and maybe homes. Anyway, wherever that rain goes, it will be appreciated. In fact those in the Midwest may be in more need of the water than us in the South. We still confess this is a pretty good place to live.

Men sitting up all night looking through telescopes (or at least looking at pictures made late at night) have discovered a new galaxy out there in space. It happens to be something like 15 billion light years away, but that doesn't really upset us 'cause it is hard for us to understand much more than one light year away. The good thing about this discovery is that they think this will give them clues on the beginning of our whole being. Then there are these other scientists who think they have discovered evidence that could lead to finding life somewhere other than on our planet. Meanwhile back at the ranch...

Baseball will never be the same in Chicago since they installed lights in their ball stadium. Now we ain't fussing and joining those who are talking of more lawsuits to turn off the lights, but then we sorta liked the unusual aspect of their stadium where no night games could be played. Nor do we expect all the folks in Chicago to sell their homes and move away to avoid the disturbing noise and extra lights. There is enough of racket already in Chicago to fill anyone's head and a little more won't even be noticed.

Alabama citizens are again seeing a rash of alligators coming out of their normal deep swamp homes into the waters "we" claim. The dry swamps are what is forcing them into farm ponds and even occasional swimming pools. Fish and Game officials are being kept busy trapping these reptiles and moving them to remote places. A new proposal is near being approved. It copies a Florida plan for having "contract hunters" who will be paid (by fish and game officials) of a gator that needs catching and will be allowed to sell the hide and meat from the gator. This money will be divided between the hunter and the Fish and Game Department and should prove profitable for all concerned. It will free the fish and game people for other duties and will also put some money in several pockets. Presently, a gator killed by Fish and Game can only be buried and can't be sold at all, thus wasting valuable skins and meat.

We heard a school board member (who will remain unnamed for his own protection) marvel at how the summer lunch program fed so many people, with very little help, when his wife complained about feeding just the members of her family! Now we will probably have to lie to the wives of four Elba school board members to keep the husband alive and himself out of dutch with the talking board member.

The school board was told Tuesday that the color of the carpet in the middle school had been selected. Let me go on record as having nothing to do with picking the colors of that carpet. We have no opinion on what would be good nor what we don't need up there. Also, we were not asked to voice an opinion in the matter. Therefore, remember, of all the things we get accused of meddling in, that ain't one of them... not at all!

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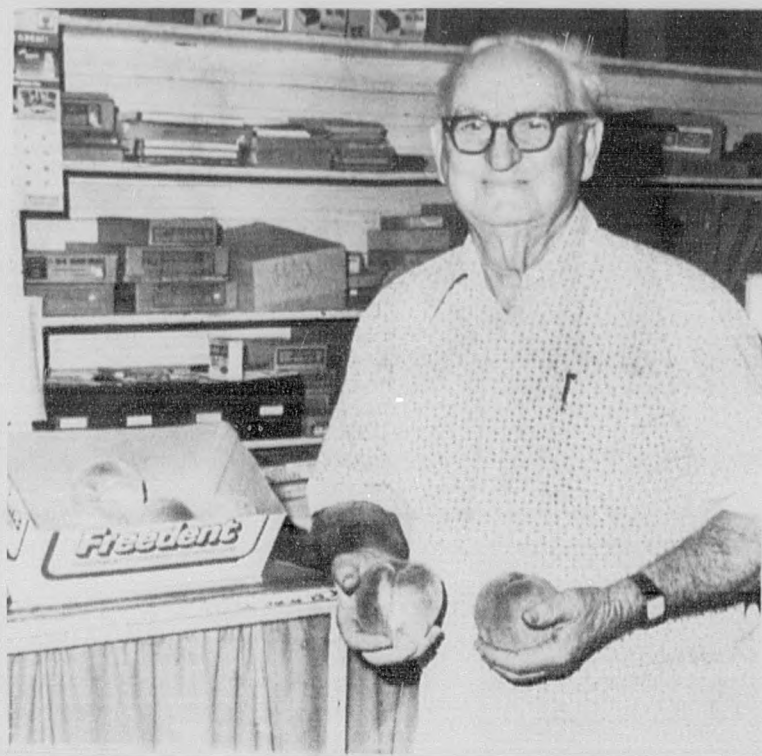
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MITCH FULLER OF ELBA displays some of the peaches from a tree in his backyard. These six weigh 5.2 ozs., and the average weight of each is one pound. Fuller said the peaches grew on a volunteer tree.

ASCS Offers Farmers Advice To Prepare For Pending Drought Aid

Farmers should prepare now to apply for drought aid so they will be ready when eligibility after pending legislation is enacted, according to Jesse Anderson, Chairperson of the Coffee County ASCS Committee.

"We probably won't have the details of drought assistance for several weeks," Anderson said, but there are some things producers can do to help make sure they get the benefits of any new legislation.

For example, appraisals and bin measurements will be made when necessary by ASCS on drought-

damaged crops before they are destroyed or harvested to salvage for feed," Anderson said. Producers may have to leave representative strips for appraisals if they are unable to wait for an ASCS appraisal.

Production records for nonprogram crops, such as fruits, vegetables and other commercial crops should be maintained for the current and previous years.

"The bottom line," Anderson said, "is don't destroy any evidence you may need later to prove your eligibility for benefits."

Meeting On Child Abuse To Be Held Tonight

There will be an organizational meeting of concerned citizens against Child Sexual Abuse and Molestation on Thursday, August 11, 1988, at 7:00 p.m. at the New Brockton City Hall, in New Brockton, Ala.

For additional information call 894-6039.

Elba Middle School Lists Student Supplies

Following is a list of supplies for the Elba Middle School when classes begin on August 22.

Fourth Grade:
#2 Pencils
3-ring notebook*
Loose-leaf paper
Elmer's Glue - small
Construction paper - multicolor
Scissors
24-count crayons

Fifth Grade:
Ruler with centimeters
Elmer's glue - small
Scissors
#2 Pencils
Construction paper - multicolor
Loose-leaf paper
3-ring notebook or folder*
Stenographer's pad
Spiral notebooks for Science/

Health, Social Studies, Reading, Math, Language, perforated pages (preferably)
Colored pencils
Crayons
Black felt-tip pen - fine point
Black fine point pen
Sixth Grade:
6 folders with center paper brackets and side pockets
Loose-leaf paper
#2 Pencils
Scissors
Colored pencils
Black felt-tip pen - fine point
Black razor-tip pen - fine point
No composition books, please!
*All supplies for sale in the school office except 3-ring notebook.

Bulletin Board

S.S. REP - City Hall, 3rd Tues 9:30 - 12:30. Call: 897-3421
ROTARY CLUB - Mon. Noon - Ye Old Hickory Pt.
EASTERN STAR - 2nd & 4th Thur - 7 p.m.
ELBA MINISTERIAL ASSN. - Thurs 8 a.m. - Ye Old Hickory Pt.
JAVIER'S - 1st & 3rd Thur - 7 p.m. - Beaver Dam Restaurant
CITY COUNCIL - 2nd & 4th Mon - 5 p.m.
LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues - 6:30 p.m. Beaver Dam Rest.
ELBA CITY SCHOOL BOARD - 1st Thur - 5 p.m. - Supp. Office
AMERICAN LEGION - 1st Thur - 7:30 p.m. - Legion Hall, Troy Hwy.
BOY SCOUTS - Mon 7 p.m. - Over old City Hall
RESCUE SQUAD - 2nd & 4th Tues - 7 p.m. - Library
WATER & ELECTRIC - 2nd Tues - 5 p.m. City Hall
MASONIC LODGE 170 - 1st Sat. & 3rd Mon - 7 p.m.
AA - Wed 9 p.m. & Sun 6 p.m. - Old City Hall
BAND BOOSTERS - 1st Mon - 7 p.m. - Band Room
VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER - Tues, Thurs 8:30-9:30
NEW ALANON - Wed 8 p.m. - St. Citizens Center
NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS - 5-6 Sundays, St. Citizens Center
COFFEE COUNTY CO-OP - Thurs 8:30-9:30
ERS ASSN. - 3rd Sat. - 3 p.m. - Club House
WEIGHT WATCHERS - Mondays 6:45 p.m. - Elba Library
FREE GED CLASSES - Elba HS Mon. Tues 4-6, Call 897-3421
Aug. Coffee Republican Women 8:00, Bday celebration 4th Wed. 3:40-3:50 - Colony Inn.

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Letter To The Editor

The Mayor of the city of Elba does not have the authority to discount anyone's electric bill as promised by Mayor English in his ad for mayor in last week's *The Elba Clipper*.

Only the Water and Electric Board, by a majority vote can set the electric rate.

I feel like the Mayor of the City of Elba is misleading the elderly people of our community by making this statement.

Sincerely,

Shirley L. Wise

Obituaries

MRS. ELSIE BOYCE

Mrs. Elsie Boyce, of Thornton, Ontario, Canada died Monday, August 8, 1988.

Funeral services are being held today at 11:00 a.m.

She is survived by her husband, John Boyce; one son, Dr. James Boyce, formerly of Elba; and one daughter, Carol Williams of Toronto, Canada.

Brockton, AL.; Mrs. Louise Cox of Elba, AL.; Mrs. Mary Hodge of Enterprise, AL.; and Mrs. Arkie Hodge of Elba, AL.; 22 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren, and the late Juanita McDaniel Johnson of Coffee County.

LEROY BOWDOIN

Leroy Bowdoin, age 71, died Sunday, July 31, 1988 in Trenton, Florida. He was a native of Elba and his career spanned 37 years in the public education systems of Florida, from which he retired in 1987.

Funeral services were held August 2, at 2:00 p.m. with Rev. Casey Carlisle and Rev. George Sanford of Trenton, officiating. Gooding Trenton Chapel was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Hazel Beckel Bowdoin; three sons, Frederick L. Bowdoin, Orlando, FL.; Roderick Bowdoin, Lake City, FL.; and Douglas C. Bowdoin, Orlando, FL.; two daughters, Cassie and Bonnie, both of Trenton, FL.; one grandson, Michael Bowdoin, one brother, Foy Bowdoin, Elba, AL.; four sisters, Ruth Hawkins, Elba, AL.; Wayne Boswell and Marianne Andress, both of Montgomery, AL.; and Danette Prescott, Fort Walton Beach, FL.

JOSEPH F. JOHNSON

Joseph F. Johnson, age 68, of Decatur, GA., a native of Elba, AL., died Friday July 29, 1988 at Turner Hill Baptist Church in Decatur with burial following in the church cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Sarah King Johnson of Decatur, GA.; one son, Bobby F. Johnson of Lithonia; five daughters, Mrs. Ann Bowers, Elba, AL.; Mrs. Martha Hicks, Santa Rosa Beach, FL.; Mrs. Kathy Valenti, West Palm Beach, FL.; Mrs. Katie Caloway of Houston, TX.; and Miss Wanda E. Johnson of Lithonia; two stepsons, Gary Hicks of Decatur, GA.; and Danny Hicks of Laurel Bay, S. C.; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Jan Dixon, of Santa Rosa Beach, FL.; six sisters, Mrs. Bessie Rodgers of Winter Garden, FL.; Mrs. Mabel Bryant of Winter Garden, FL.; Mrs. Daisy Lawson of New

Junior High Football Players To Meet Tonight

Coach John Tucker asks that all boys who intend to play junior high football attend a meeting tonight (Thursday, Aug. 11) at 7 o'clock in the junior high dressing room.

Potential players are asked to take \$10 for insurance and a birth certificate. Those not having a birth certificate should take \$5 in order for Coach Tucker to obtain one.

Arthur Clair Brunson Inducted Into Gamma Beta Phi Society

On April 11, 1988, Arthur Clair Brunson III was inducted into the University of Alabama's chapter

of Gamma Beta Phi Society. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brunson, Jr.



Randy Bedsole Seeks District 5

Randy Bedsole, a resident of Cherokee Lane, has announced that he will seek election to the Elba City Council from District 5 in the upcoming municipal election.

Bedsole is married to the former Pamela Davis and they have two children - Rusty, age 15 and Gina, age 11.

"I am seeking a seat on the city council because I feel there is a need for the voice of the common man on the council and if elected I will be that voice," stated Bedsole. "It is easy to just sit back and criticize and point a finger when something goes wrong, but I want to do more and by being on the council I can do more."

"I went to school in Elba and my children go to school here," added Bedsole, "and I am loyal to the schools and the community. Elba needs to work on improving its industrial climate and follow through with the prepared citizens program it has become a member of. Only by pursuing industry will we be able to grow and our city had that potential to cash in on the migration of industry to the sunbelt."

"As a parent I am very concerned about the drug problem in our community," added Bedsole. "In a town this size there is no doubt we can fight the problem and be successful if all we work together. We need to get the concerned citizens together and discuss the problem and how best to fight it. There is no substitute for community involvement and when people work together good things can, and will happen!"

"I am just the average person and I am not aligned with any other candidates," pledged Bedsole, "and if elected I will make sure the average citizens of Elba have their voices heard and are an important part of this town."

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FAMILY TALK

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Today I want to say a great big "Thank You" to all the people who read this column. Many of you take the time to call and say the information shared was especially helpful to you personally for one reason or another. Lots of times I have had persons come to me personally and say they enjoy the articles.

Your Child Today? We can hug our child and other people mentally. A physical hug makes us all feel good but a kindness is a mental hug. This can work wonders too! We need to remember that the next person enjoys these hugs just as much as we do.

Thanks again to all you wonderful folks out there who take the time to tell me you enjoy the column.

For more information call me at 897-3424, or write me in care of Coffee County Dept. of Human Resources, P.O. Box 448, Elba, Alabama 36323.

Thoughtful! Have you hugged someone today?

When we keep these things to ourselves then we miss a golden opportunity to make someone's day a little brighter. Also, when we feel down, sometimes we go back in our memory bank and pull up these kind words and remembrances.

I think of the bumper sticker which says "Have You Hugged

ELBA HOSPITAL REPORT

Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the week August 1 - 8 were:

Mavis M. Donaldson, Charlie T. Hudson, Ruth Harrellson, Carrie S. Jacobs, Lena Rushing, Bud Baldwin and James R. Simmons.

Those discharged during the same time period were:

David Carter, Mary Prince, John Boswell, Wilmer Galimore, Lena Rushing, A. C. Brunson, Louise Powell, Ada Edmondson, Priscilla Bryan, Charlie Hudson, Jean Johnson, Dorothy Hussey and Warren Ringsdorf.

Cross Trails Library To Hold Book Sale

Cross Trails will hold its second book sale of the year August 9th through the 12th in the meeting room of the Cross Trails/Opp Public Library from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to celebrate 30 years of service in this area.

Children's books and adult fiction will be most heavily represented, and, as in previous sales, the cost of the books is only ten cents each.

Be sure to come early to get the best selection and inspect the books before purchasing, as most have given years of enjoyment to the people of the region and have seen much use.

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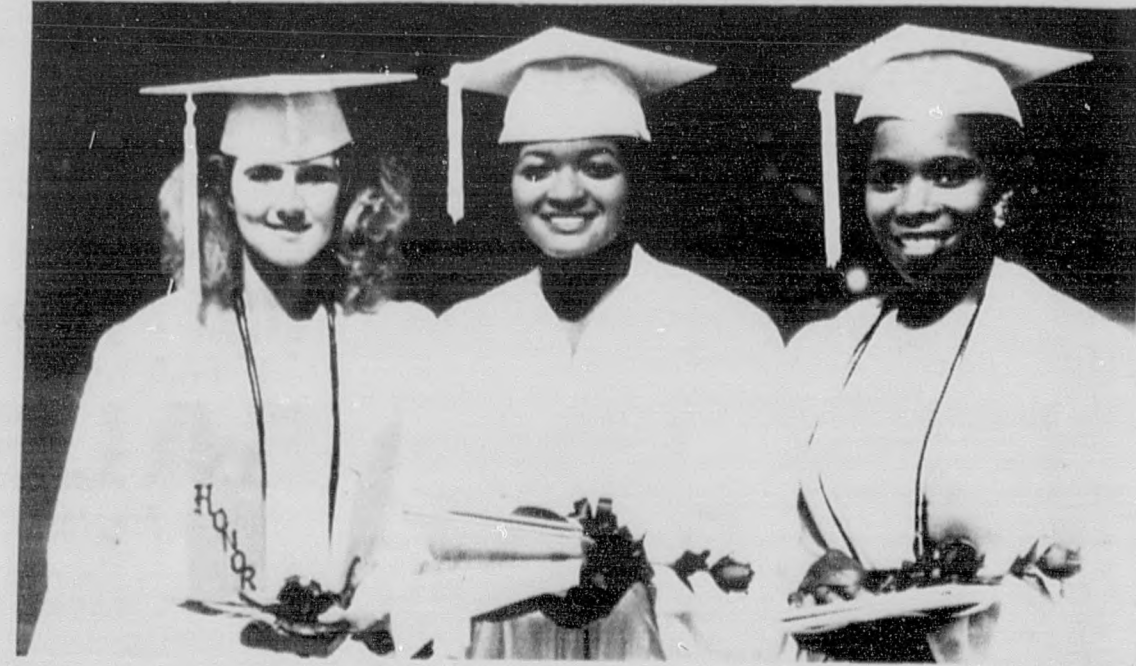
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Three Zion Chapel Graduates Receive ESJC Scholarships

Three 1988 graduates of Zion Chapel High School have been named to receive scholarships to Enterprise State Junior College, says Chip Quesberry, director of Student Financial Aid at the college. They are: Donna Michelle Griswold, Tracy Pearson, and Angela Rodgers.

Donna is the daughter of Donald and Sarah Griswold and is the recipient of The Fuller-Pittman scholarship given through the Enterprise State Junior College Foundation. She was a varsity cheerleader, sports editor of the yearbook, and a member of the Student Council, FBLA, FCA, Spanish Club, and Coffee County Honors Club. Donna was Beta Club president, FHA secretary and the recipient of a U.S. Army Reserve National Scholarship award. She plans a career in radiology.

Folmar Named District Attorney Of Year

Joel M. Folmar, District Attorney of the 12th Judicial Circuit, Pike and Coffee Counties, was named District Attorney of the year by the District Attorney Investigators. This announcement came during the Annual Summer Conference of the Alabama District Attorneys Association.

Joel was selected by the Investigators due to his commitment to prosecute those who commit crimes against the people of the State of Alabama. Joel was also elected to serve as a Member at Large on the Executive Committee of the Alabama District Attorneys Association for 1988-89.

The Executive Committee is charged with the responsibility of running the State Association and overseeing the Alabama Office of Prosecution Services, a State Agency which was created to assist all District Attorneys in this State in their efforts to curtail criminal activity.

Joel Folmar has served in a leadership role, including President of the Alabama District Attorneys Association, since he became District Attorney in 1978.

NEWS FROM OUR EARLY FILES

TEN YEARS AGO

AUGUST 17, 1978
 ***Mt. Hebron Baptist Church of Wilkinstown recently celebrated its 100th birthday and the two oldest members were recognized: Mrs. Nettie Boutwell and Mr. Auburn Carroll.

***Miss Leigh Lindsey, bride-elect of James David Rickard, was honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower on Aug. 19.

***Jeffrey Charles Mack of Elba is the recipient of an E.L. Gibson Foundation scholarship for medical students. He will attend George C. Wallace State Community College in the fall.

***EHS majorettes for 1978-79: Sharon Grimes, Tammy Ashe, Beverly Hargrove (head majorette), Nita Calhoun and Yolanda Miller.
 ***Candy Berry and Mike Carney just returned from a 3-day 4-H Community Resource Development Conference at Point Aquarius.

***Mr. and Mrs. Gary H. Thompson announce the birth of a son, Keith Alan Thompson, on July 18.

her most attractive haircut and admired Addie Belle Martin's all white ensemble. Louise Cooper was her usual friendly self and Nell Cook was vivacious as ever.

FORTY YEARS AGO
AUGUST 12, 1948

***D.B. Perdue had been having trouble with possums catching his chickens, which were roosting in a tree at his home on Plant Ave. He chained his dog to the tree and has not been bothered since.

***Mrs. Ida Lee, widow of the late Charles Stephen Lee, died Saturday evening at Gibson Hospital in Enterprise following a heart attack. She was born in Troy, and had 11 sons and daughters.

***New Brockton news: A Coca Cola party honoring Mrs. Darrell Jordan of Wichita Falls, Texas, and Mrs. Wyeth Wallace of Pearl River, N.Y., was given by Mrs. J.E. Sawyer, assisted by Mrs. Leon Bailey. ... Mr. and Mrs. Euell Roberts and son Charles Henry of Dothan visited.

ed Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sawyer during the weekend. ... Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brooks of Ozark visited Mr. Mrs. E.L. Alford of Chipley, Fla.

***Through the Keyhole, with Mrs. Robert Cannon: An unusually nice trip was enjoyed recently by Mr. and Mrs. L.L. LeCompte, when they visited in Canton, Ohio, Niagara Falls, and Canada. The highlight of their trip was seeing their new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Vinson. Making the trip were the L.L. LeComptes and Rev. and Mrs. Lamar LeCompte and Mrs. J.K. Hayes Sunday.

***Mrs. Donald Reddick visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Lunsford last week. She was enroute from Key West, Fla., to Boston, Mass., to join her husband Chief Donald Reddick of the U.S. Navy.

***Mary Oliver and Nancy Carley, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Fleetwood Carley of Montgomery, visited their grandparents, Judge and Mrs. J.A. Carley, last week.

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THIRTY YEARS AGO

AUGUST 14, 1958
 ***James Douglas Bowdoin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bowdoin of Elba, and his bride, the former Miss Louise Rebecca Akard of Bristol, Va., have returned from their honeymoon in Hawaii, and will visit in Elba until early September when they will go to Bristol to live.

***Elba High cheerleaders, under the direction of Mrs. Helen A. McCollough, are Vivian Matthews and Suzanne Hayes, members of last year's squad, and Geraldine Jackson, Charlotte Vaughan, Judy Carter and Henrietta Mack.

***Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gingles have moved on Brantley Road. Their house is across the street from the Robert Cooper residence. Miss Martha Rainer of Key West, Fla., is spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rainer Sr. ... Mrs. W.C. Braswell, Mrs. Frank Rainer Sr. and Miss Eunora Farris recently visited their sister, and daughter of Calera; and Miss Hilda LeCompte of Birmingham.

Thoroughly enjoyed being a guest at Sybil Taylor's the other evening and seeing her newly decorated home. Rachel Cook said she had gone back to work at Ft. Rucker, and that it was so hard to leave young Sherry at home. ... We complimented Carolyn Boswell on

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Socials

Moore-Mock Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Rexal Moore of Opp announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Sandra Lynn Moore, to Larry Dale Mock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mock of Elba.

The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Floyd of Opp, and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac R. Moore of Opp. She is the great-granddaughter of Mrs. Dollie R. Schofield of Opp.

The prospective groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Mock of Ashbury, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adkinson, also of Ashbury, Ala. He is the grandson of Mrs. Marie Greenwood.

The wedding will be an event of Sept. 3 at seven o'clock in the evening at the Babbie Baptist Church.

No invitations are being sent. All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Sandra Lynn Moore

Prescott Reunion To Be Held Sunday

The Prescott reunion will be held this Sunday, August 14, beginning at 9 a.m.

The reunion will be held at the Senior Citizens Center in downtown Elba.

A covered dish luncheon will be served.

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Mallory Allen Celebrates First Birthday

Mallory Allen celebrated her first birthday Saturday, Aug. 6, with a party at her home. Her guests were served cake, homemade ice cream, chips and punch.

Those helping Mallory celebrate were her parents, Gary and Jenny Allen; her brother Justin; grandmothers Mrs. Cliff Allen and Mrs. Doris Hamm; great grandmother Mrs. Effie Morris; Dan, Jan and Brian Hamm; Mike, Chris and Brad Hamm; Mary, Victoria, Luke and Matthew Cooper; Patsy and Kyle English; Shea Ward; Melinda and Judson Vaughan; Anissa Brooks; Phoebe and Chris Bowers; Nannette and Mica Miller and Ethel Morrow.

Republican Women To Observe Anniversary

The National Federation of Republican Women are celebrating their 50th anniversary, and the Coffee County group will join in with a tea at the Colony Inn Restaurant in Enterprise on Aug. 24.

Time will be 3 - 4 p.m. Everyone is invited.

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Miss Davis To Marry Mr. Kendrick In September

Mr. and Mrs. Waylon P. Davis of Kinston announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Robin to Braxton Kendrick, son of Rev. and Mrs. Lamar Kendrick of Opp.

The bride is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hall of Opp; Lula Bell Kendrick and the late John Milt Kendrick of Opp.

The groom's grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Ace Hall of Opp; Lula Bell Kendrick and the late John Milt Kendrick of Opp.

The bride is a 1983 graduate of Kinston High School and a 1988 graduate of MacArthur State Technical College. She is currently employed as an LPN at Andalusia Hospital.

The groom is a 1981 graduate of Opp High School and is currently attending Baptist Bible Institute, where he is majoring in music. He is employed with WAMI in Opp.

The wedding will be an event of Sept. 17 at six o'clock in the evening at Southside Baptist Church in Opp.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend.



Miss Davis-Mr. Kendrick

New Arrival

ALTON T. ADAMS III
 Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Adams of New Brockton announce the birth of a son, Alton T. Adams III, on July 28, 1988, in Humana Hospital-Enterprise.

The new arrival weighed 7 lbs. 6 ozs. and measured 19-1/2" in length.

Grandparents are Jim and Judy Driskell of New Brockton; Tad and Carolyn Adams, also of New Brockton.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Pauline Driskell, New Brockton; Mrs. Voncile Myers, New Brockton; and Mrs. Edna Benefield, Asheville, N.C.

"Little Tad" is welcomed home by a big sister, Laleigh, age 7.

Calhoun - Brown Wedding Planned For Saturday

Miss Mavis Dilene Calhoun will become the bride of Mr. Timothy Merrell Brown Saturday, Aug. 13, at seven o'clock in the evening at Taylor Assembly of God Church.

A reception will follow in the church fellowship hall.

All friends and relatives are invited.



Mr. Horstead-Miss Means

Bowdoin-Bowden Family Reunion To Be Held

The annual Coffee County Bowdoin-Bowden family reunion will be held Saturday, Aug. 13, in the Community Room at the New Brockton Farm Center.

All relatives are urged to attend this 16th session.

Miss Means And Mr. Horstead To Wed In September

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Means and Leavy and Ethel Horstead announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their children Tammy and Ted.

The bride is a native of Bay Minette, where she was a 1984 graduate of Baldwin County High School. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting and Computer Science at Troy State University. She is currently a programmer at SouthTrust Data Services.

The groom is a native of Elba, and is a 1982 graduate of Elba High School. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Management from Troy State University. He is currently a district manager at Montgomery Beverage.

The wedding is set for Saturday, Sept. 10, at four o'clock in the afternoon at McGhee Temple, with a reception to follow at Southern Host.

All friends and relatives are invited.

James-Tyson To Wed

Bridget James, daughter of Tommy and Winnie James, and Effran Tyson, son of Muri Allen, will be married Saturday, Aug. 13, at six o'clock in the evening at Mulberry Heights Church of God in Christ.

Rev. R.B. Williams will perform the ceremony.

A reception will be held afterwards at the home of Muri Allen.

All friends and relatives are invited.

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One of the services provided is in the area of continuing education. Currently, the Enterprise State Junior College conducts Adult Education in Elba two nights a week. Although those classes are very beneficial to the citizens of our community, they are not enough. We must work with the administrators of ESJC and Troy State University to expand this program.

In addition to the current classes, we must seek ways to provide:

- * A Night Class Program which offers college level courses for our citizens that cannot travel to Enterprise, Ft. Rucker, or Dothan.
- * A Post Advanced Education Program for our Senior Citizens.
- * A Youth College Program for our young people during the summer months.

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WHEN FAILURE ISN'T FAILURE

Phil. 1:8-12
A young pitcher who entered the majors had such a blazing fastball that he didn't think he needed to work on his control, his change-up or his curve. Consequently, he failed to make the grade and was sent back to the minor leagues. Winston Churchill failed twice to achieve an elected office during the early 1920's and had little political influence all through the 1930's. But he kept developing his talents, and in 1940 he became the prime minister of England. Today he is acclaimed as a great hero.

The apostle Paul had planned to go to Rome to preach the gospel as a free man, but he was taken as a prisoner instead. It looked as if he had failed to achieve his noble ambition. In his place of confinement, however, he witnessed to the guards with such persuasion that most of them were converted, and from his prison he penned some of his outstanding epistles. That's why he could write to the Christians in Philippi that everything had turned out for the advancement of the Gospel (V12).

When our carefully laid plans fizzle, let's not give up. Instead, let's analyze our failure and take appropriate action. If we discover that we blundered, we correct our mistakes by the grace of God. If we are able to trace our lack of seeming success to circumstances beyond our control, let's ask God to teach us what He wants us to learn and trust Him to bring good out of our disappointments. A failure then becomes a stepping-stone to success. Think about it!

Elba UMC To Have Mission Week

The Elba United Methodist Church will have a Missions Emphasis Week Aug. 13 and 14. The special services will begin Saturday, at 6:30 in the evening with a covered dish supper in the fellowship hall.

Guest speakers will be Mrs. Aida Walker, executive director of

Baldwin County Migrant Workers Ministries, and Mr. David Goodby, director of the Wesley Foundation at Auburn.

The guests will speak during morning and evening worship on Sunday.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

"Camp Meeting Days" To Begin Sunday

Camp Meeting Days begin this Sunday at The Elba United Methodist Church. The Rev. Roy Gamlin will bring the morning message and for the evening hour at 6:00 a song service consisting of old favorites will be held.

The remaining worship services schedule for the month of August is as follows:

August 14th A. M. and P. M.: Rev. George Seberry, preaching Rev. David Goodby, Director of the Wesley Foundation at

Auburn University and Aida Walker, Executive Director of the Baldwin County Migrant Workers Ministries will be present and share about their ministries.

August 21st A. M. and P. M.: Rev. George Seberry, preaching Youth lead in worship.

August 28th A. M. and P. M.: Sunday School Promotion, Teacher Recognition Sunday, Dr. Cecil Bradley, preaching, Recreation, Covered Dish Supper and Worship at Brunson Farm.

Seniors Of Cordelia Street Meet

It was a real summer day when the Senior Citizens of Cordelia Street met for their weekly meeting on August 3, at the HRDC Building on Simmons Street.

Of course, all conversation centered on the weather and the putting up of vegetables. The ladies shelled peas to put in the freezer. Know they will taste good later.

Some of the members played dominos and exchanged news. Some of our members were still out and were missed.

A delicious lunch was served to the following:

Mary Burkett, Grace Goodson, Arthur Blackman, Mattie Lou Goodson, Bonnie Wesley, Pearl Farmer, Zed Bouyer, Frank McCollough, Jimbo Cole, Rushie Blanton, Dixie Mae Maddox, Helen MacCahan, Aileen English, Thelma Duggan, Sarah Smith, Mary Longfellow, Margaret Haire, M. Boling, and Wanda Sasser.

By: Wanda Sasser

Homecoming At Basin Baptist

Basin Baptist Church will have Homecoming Sunday, Aug. 14. Sunday School will be at 10 a.m., with regular morning worship at 11.

Guest speaker will be Rev. Robert Carter, a former pastor, from Hawthorne, Fla.

Lunch will be served at the noon hour.

Special singing in the afternoon will feature Kim and Kell Longworth, and Phil Hughes.

All members, former members and friends are invited.

Friendship Baptist To Have Revival

Friendship Baptist Church in the Bullock Community will have revival services Aug. 14 - 19. Services will begin at 7:30 each evening and Rev. Doug Free will be the guest speaker.

Everyone is invited.

Mt. Vernon To Have Homecoming

Mt. Vernon Assembly of God will have homecoming Sunday, Aug. 14, with Rev. Terry McCrummen, former pastor, as guest speaker at the 11 a.m. service.

Lunch will be served at the noon hour and there will be special singing in the afternoon, with the Sing-Spirations as guests.

Everyone is invited.

Have You Prayed Today?

Homecoming Set For Woodland Grove Aug. 14

Woodland Grove Baptist Church will have Homecoming Sunday, Aug. 14.

Rev. Billy Gregory, a previous pastor, will bring the 11 a.m. message.

"Marriage Enrichment" Series To Be Held

The "Marriage Enrichment Series" video, by Dr. Carl Brechone and Dr. Paul Faulkner, will be shown at the Elba Church of Christ on Wednesday nights at 7:00 for the next two months. The series is a former winner of the Best Film Series Award by the Christian Film Distributors Association, and features Brechone and Faulkner, family experts, in a series of eight lessons on marriage and the family.

The public is invited to view the series at the Elba Church of Christ, 715 N. Troy Highway, in Elba. There is no admission charge. For more information, call evangelist Bob Pritchard at 897-2057.

Church Directory

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HOPE OF TRUTH - WELB 1358 AM - 1:30-2:00 P.M. - Sun. - Rev. James Rodgers

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ALBERTON BAPTIST CHURCH - Don Patton

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Church Training - 5:30 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH - Don Patton

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Church Training - 5:30 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST - Don Patton

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Church Training - 5:30 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH - Douglas Free

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Church Training - 5:30 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

Visitation Thursday nights 8:00-9:00 p.m.

KAY & GAY - Wed. - 7:00 p.m.

DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH - W.R. Fuller

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Church Training - 5:30 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST - Bob Pritchard

Bible Study - 11:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD - Harvey Rowlin

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF J.D. OF PROPHECY - J.D. Wesley

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - Darrell & Gert Riley

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH - Doug Dorth

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Church Training - 5:30 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Family Meal - 5:40 p.m.

C.A. (Youth) - 5:30 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - George Seberry

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Youth Choir Practice - 5:00 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - J.L. Gray

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH - Randall Pearson

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:30 p.m.

FAITH CHAPEL COMMUNITY CHURCH - Sybil Bagwell

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Kingston - Robert Bowen

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Service - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Larry Powell

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Family Meal - 5:40 p.m.

C.A. (Youth) - 5:30 p.m.

HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC - Bishop W.T. Harris

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

Y.P.W. Bible Study & B. Band - Tues. - 6 p.m.

Pastor's Aid - Fri. - 7 p.m.

Youth Day - Sat. Sun. - Elder Terry

Choirs - 1st & 3rd Saturday

HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Shirley Ellis

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Harvey Rowlin

Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.

Sunday - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:30 p.m.

JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Rev. Jimmy Eddins

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Morn. Worship - 10:00 a.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meet. - 7:00 p.m.

C.A. & G.A. - 5:00 p.m.

Even. Service - 6:00 p.m.

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Morn. Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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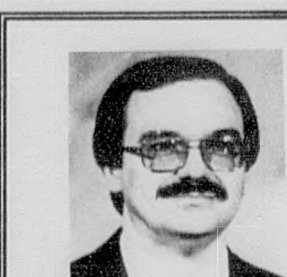
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The book of Acts describes life within the early church. Acts 2 tells us of the beginning of the Lord's church, as 3,000 were added to the church by being baptized for the remission of their sins. There was great love and generosity among the members of the Jerusalem church. "And all that believed were together, and had all things common; and sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need" (Acts 2:44-45).

"And the multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul; neither said any of them that ought of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common" (Acts 4:32).

Some have suggested that this description of the church in Jerusalem is a description of communism. It was not communism, which is a political system by which the state owns all possessions, and allows the individual to possess what the state wants him to possess. The situation in the church in Jerusalem was one in which the members of the church voluntarily shared what they had with one another. They "believed and had all things common," but this does not mean that they all lived together, and gave up all of their individual property. There were 3,000 members on that first day of Pentecost, and the church grew daily. They certainly were not all living in one house.

The key to their having "all things common" was that they shared their possessions so that every man could have his needs met. Many sold houses and possessions, and laid the money at the apostles' feet (Acts 4:34-35), but all did not sell everything, because Barnabas is singled out for his generosity (Acts 4:36-37). Possessions were sold, and money given to meet real needs. Each member considered his possessions to be held in trust for the needs of the church. This is an example of true Christian stewardship. Whenever a Christian is in need, his brethren should care for him.

The situation in the Jerusalem church was somewhat of an emergency. Multitudes of Jews had come to Jerusalem for Pentecost, and had become Christians. They were receiving their first instruction in the gospel, and were not prepared to leave. Later they scattered to carry the message to the world. No other New Testament church was said to have all things common, but a willingness to give continued. We are told of the Christians in Antioch: "every man according to his ability, determined to sell all that he had, and to sell all properly to give to the brethren which dwelt in Judea" (Acts 11:29). The church must have the same spirit of sharing, but it is not commanded to have "all things common," or sell all property to give to the brethren.

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Pd. Adv.

Alabama Society Children Of American Revolution To Have Workshop

The Alabama Society Children of the American Revolution will hold a State Workshop Saturday, August 20, on the campus of Troy State University, Adams Center, Room 132, 10:00 a.m.

This year's State Project is entitled CARALA, Children of the American Revolution Against a Littered Alabama. Mrs. Betty Ann Force of the Center for Environmental Research and Service will

present a program that addresses the litter problem in our state and provide ideas and information that will be helpful in solving this problem.

There is no admission charge. All guests are welcome. C.A.R. is a patriotic organization for young people. Contact Mrs. Lucie McClellan at 263-3051 or Jonathan Hilton at 894-6742 for more information.

Deadline For Signing Up For Youth Football Is August 25th

All boys age 6-12 who wish to play Youth Football this fall should sign up prior to the August 25 deadline.

Note the change in the age group from previously announced ages.

Players may register at the Elba Recreation Center, on the Troy Highway, on Tuesday and Thursday, August 16 and 18, from 5:00-6:00 p.m. All players must be accompanied by a parent and new players must have a birth certificate.

The Elba Recreation Department has three teams in the local football league and players must furnish all equipment.

The deadline to register will be August 23rd and 25th, at the Recreation Center.

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Views From

THE PRESSBOX

By Ricky Mularz, Editor

The 1988-89 school year is just around the corner and that means that my so called "slow season" will soon come to an end. It is true that once school starts my already busy schedule gets a little hectic due to the fact that our sports coverage more than doubles and I have to keep all the extra reporters happy and heading in the right direction every Friday night, but I can also assure you that the summer was no picnic as I juggled my umpiring around work and wrote articles on about 300 ballgames. Oh well, at least I know what I'll be doing in my spare time - sleeping!

NUMBERS ARE DECLINING FOR TEAMS

The high school football season is only two weeks away, but after making the early rounds at area schools it seems that many of the teams won't have as many players as in years past. At Elba a total of 42 players are taking part in preseason drills and while that's not really that bad, only years ago the Tigers dressed out around 60 players and had the luxury of platooning units on offense and defense. New Brockton, a power in the 2A ranks for years, is down to only 22 players this season and cross-country rival Zion Chapel had only 15 players early last week when drills opened, which is barely enough to field a squad. Brantley, a long time football powerhouse, had only 22 players greet coaches for the opening week and the same story is true down at Kinston where they are battling to have enough players to field a competitive team.

I realize that times have changed since I was in school and that kids now have cars, vcr's and would rather work than play football; however, the changing times are making it hard on the coaches who are employed to win football games!

TIGERS WILL HAVE DIFFERENT LOOK IN '88

When the Elba Tigers hit the football field in a couple of weeks for their season opener against Cottonwood there will be new things for fans to see than the new uniforms. The Tigers will field a team loaded with juniors and sophomores and even the most devoted Tiger fan will need a program to figure out just who that is playing. Coach Wood has reportedly made some personnel changes that should help the team, but that too will make it hard on the fans who won't see familiar faces wearing the Elba jerseys. The Tigers may have a new look in '88, but I expect the same results - a bunch of wins!

COACHES AGREE, OPPONENTS ARE GREAT

I have been in the business of talking to coaches for a number of years and while the coaches come and go, they all say the same thing when it comes to their schedules - this year is the toughest ever! Elba's Mack Wood has looked down his schedule and pointed out that the 3A Tigers are playing 4 teams in larger classes, while over at New Brockton Coach Leavy Boutwell had reason to be concerned when he pulled out a schedule and pointed out that the opening four games were against 4A Daleville, Georgianna, 3A W.S. Neal and perennial power Cottonwood! Zion Chapel's schedule includes such powers as Samson, Goshen and New Brockton, while Kinston will hit the field for games against such solid football squads as Samson, Dozer and Houston Academy.

I've checked out the schedules of all the teams in the area and will admit that none of the schools in our coverage area can be accused of having patsy schedules, but then again, none of the schools in our coverage area are weak sisters either!

KELLEY WILL BE MISSED AT KINSTON

I was surprised and a little saddened last week when Coach Pete Kelley called and told me he had resigned as the head basketball coach and assistant principal at Kinston High School. I have known Coach Kelley since he came to Kinston 13-years ago and have considered myself a real friend of Pete and the entire school family at Kinston and will share the loss with the people in the community. Coach Kelley and his teams made it possible for me to take several trips to the state basketball tournament and many of the highlights of my career as a journalist came when Coach Kelley and his teams pulled off wins against teams that were highly favored. I remember the state championship that Kinston won a few years ago and how Pete was kidded because a north Alabama sportswriter wrote that he was dressed at court-side like an "Andalusia lawyer," and remember even greater the past two seasons when the level of talent was down at the small county school, yet under Kelley's guidance his teams made it to state with a losing record in '87 and then knocked off undefeated Brantley in '88 on their way to sub-state. No matter who it was in the orange and blue uniforms, you knew they'd be ready with Coach Kelley at the helm!

Coach Kelley had been trying to get permission to get out of coaching for a couple of years due to his health and a desire to pursue his career in administration, but I guess he finally accepted the fact that as long as he remained at Kinston he would be coached and it was this knowledge that eventually led him to Andalusia as an assistant principal at Andalusia High School. I know that Coach Kelley will be successful at Andalusia and continue to move up the ladder professionally, but the next time I go to Kinston's gym to watch a basketball game it will seem a little empty without Pete there to shake my hand and talk with when I arrive. Good luck, Coach!

IN CLOSING....

The Elba Athletic Club is currently in the midst of its annual membership drive and I would like everyone to join the club either as a Black & Gold member or a regular member. The cost of operating a first class athletic program is staggering and the Elba Athletic Club exists solely to provide financial aid to the department at Elba High. I realize that people are always asking for donations for something, and there are a million reasons not to give, but before you say no, just think about the kids that are out there representing our city and then give a little, or a lot.

JOB VACANCY

The Coffee County School System announces that applications for the following teaching position are now being accepted:

Home Economics Teacher

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS: Must have valid Alabama Teacher's certificate with certification in Home Economics.

The following employment procedures will be adhered to:

1. An application may be received from the Coffee County School System at the following address:
Coffee County Board of Education
Clayton P. Bryant, Superintendent
Post Office Drawer D
Elba, Alabama 36523

2. Applications may be submitted to the address listed above.
3. Applications will be received until 12:00 noon on Thursday, August 11, 1988.
4. All applications will be reviewed by appropriate principal and/or coordinator who will arrange necessary interviews.
5. Recommendations will be submitted to the superintendent by the principal and/or coordinator.
6. The superintendent will make recommendations to the school board for action.
7. All applicants will receive written notification of action taken.

SPORTS

Alabama Sports Writer Assn. Releases Pre-Season H. S. Poll

The Alabama Sports Writers Association has released its pre-season high school football polls and included among the top teams in the six classifications are three teams from Coffee County.

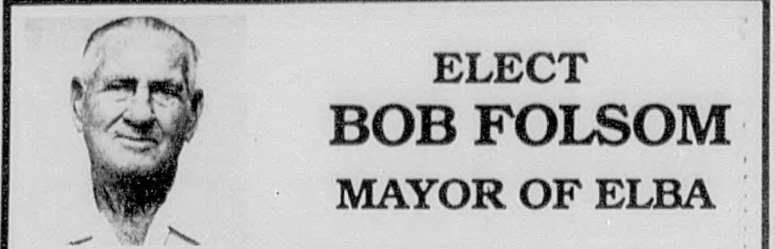
Elba, which finished the '87 season with a 10-3 record, is ranked 4th in Class 3A, while New Brockton (11-1) is ranked 8th in Class 2A and in the 6A poll is Enterprise (10th), which posted a 7-6 record a year ago.

Following is a complete list of the pre-season rankings in all six classes:

CLASS 6A
1. Vigor (13-1), 2. Montgomery Lee (12-1), 3. Montgomery Jeff Davis (10-4), 4. Shades Valley (13-2), 5. Fairhope (10-2), 6. Jess Lanier (11-3), 7. Huntsville Johnson (9-2), 8. Huntsville (10-2), 9. Birmingham Parker (9-3) and 10. Vestavia Hills (9-2) and Enterprise (7-5).

CLASS 5A
1. Greenville (13-2), 2. Russellville (14-1), 3. Sylacauga (11-2), 4. Pell City (11-2), 5. Athens (11-1), 6. Emma Sanson (10-3), 7. Woodlawn (8-4), 8. Hartselle (7-4), 9. Smith Station (10-2) and 10. Chilton County (9-4).

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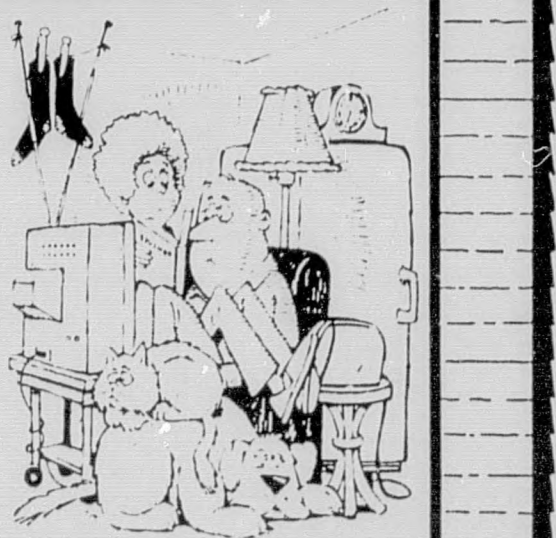
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Gamecocks Open Pre-Season Football Practice

The New Brockton Gamecocks opened pre-season football practice last week and by the time the pads came on Wednesday only 22 players were still around to represent the 1988 edition of the Gamecocks.

"We had a few more players take part in the spring and summer program," stated New Brockton coach Leavy Boutwell, "and lost one player the second day of practice. We can't spend time worrying about who quit and how many players we have, we've got to get to work and get ready for what is without a doubt the toughest schedule a Gamecock football team has ever faced!"

"We have only 22 players on this year's team," added Boutwell, "but those 22 are true examples of what football players are supposed to be and they all have a winning attitude and are willing to pay the price and sacrifice to play this game. We may be small in numbers, but I assure you our kids' hearts are as big as you get and when it's time to line up they're get after it!"

"The first four games are tough ones," said Boutwell, "but if we can stay healthy and hang in there we may just surprise some folks later in the season. A lot of people look at the size of our squad and immediately write us off, but the players and coaches are going to work and you can bet that 'Gamecock Pride' will be evident each and every game."

New Coach Ted Watson Greets Brantley Football Team For Pre-Season Practice

New Brantley football coach Ted Watson greeted a small, but enthusiastic gang of Bulldog football players last week when fall practice opened on August 1.

The Bulldogs will compete as a 2A school this year after dominating the 1A ranks for years and despite the small number of players out for football, Coach Watson is optimistic that a good season is ahead.

"Any time you move up a class it means you will be competing against more, and better athletes," said Watson, "and we feel we are going to have to win our best every game to win. We don't have as many players as in the past at Brantley, but the kids are working hard

and we know what our players are capable of doing. We're going to keep things simple and adapt our system to the players in an attempt to get the most out of every single player."

Watson, a former assistant coach at Monroe County High School, added that "I am more concerned with injuries than the number of players we have right now. We don't have the luxury of having a lot of players and we can't afford to get anyone injured."

The Bulldogs will open their season on August 26 on the road against McKenzie and will compete in the Area with Goshen, Highland Home and Zion Chapel.

Pete Kelley Resigns Coaching Position At Kinston

The rich history of Kinston High School basketball turned the page to another chapter last week when Coach Pete Kelley announced his resignation to accept the position of assistant principal at Andalusia High School.

Kelley came to Kinston in 1975 after a short coaching stint at Samson and in 13-years at the Bulldog helm led his teams to an overall record of 244 wins and 122 losses, including a stretch of five straight 20-win seasons from 1979 through 1983 and a state championship in 1981. Kelley also served as the athletic director at the Class 1A school and just last year revived the Bulldog baseball program and served as head coach.

"When I came to Kinston 13-years ago I was nervous, apprehensive and uncertain, kind of like I am now about the move to Andalusia," stated Kelley during a recent conversation. "It was scary to be going somewhere and not know many people, but the move turned out to be the right one 13-years ago and I think it will be the right one again now."

When asked to think back to his first year at Kinston, Kelley never hesitated and said "We had a center who was about 6'3" and wore thick glasses and in our first game of the season in a tipoff tournament we lost to Straughn, not the best way to start as a coach! That first season wasn't that bad; however, as we went on to post a 17-11 record and it was during that very first season that I discovered that there was something special about the sport of basketball and the people of Kinston."

"It's hard to put a finger on it," said Kelley, "but I guess it all goes back to the winning tradition established long before I arrived. When basketball season arrives at Kinston everybody at the school and the community gets a little excited and it just seems like everyone pulls together. The kids are basically the same as anywhere else, but at Kinston it seems they grow up loving basketball and it shows in the way they play the game."

The highlight of my coaching career at Kinston had to come in 1981 when we won the state championship," remembered Coach Kelley. "We had a number of very good teams prior to the '81 team and in 1980 had an outstanding team that lost to Red Level in the tourney. The '81 team played a very difficult schedule and of its losses, seven were to New Brockton and Enterprise. I remember every single thing that happened from the time we left Kinston until the time we got back and will never forget the excitement the state title brought to our city and all of Coffee County."

"I have been thinking about getting out of coaching for a number of years," admitted Kelley, "and there were a number of reasons. The main reason was that I took the games too serious. It got where I couldn't sleep after we lost and couldn't sleep after we won. I was just too involved in the games and it wasn't good for my health to stay in the game any longer. The game has changed a lot in recent years and while we have adapted with the changes, it just isn't as much fun as it used to be. The kids would rather ride three-wheelers, talk on the phone or watch vcr's than sweat in the gym and all the factors simply added up to me needing to get out."

"I have been around basketball all my life and have been a part of a team since I was in the sixth grade and got my first unit," said Kelley. "There is no doubt I'll miss basketball and miss Kinston, but I'll always be a basketball fan and will cherish our years in Kinston and in the county system forever."

"I was contacted two-years by Andalusia and discussed the possibility of becoming a principal," said Kelley, "but decided the time wasn't right to leave. Last week I got a call from the principal at Andalusia and the next day went to the school to meet with him and the other school officials. I thought about the job over the weekend and on August 1 called to turn down the offer. I talked with the people later in the day and at 5:30 that afternoon accepted the job and was hired that night by the school board. I will be the assistant principal at Andalusia High School and will be employed on a 12-month contract. The job description is too long to jot down, but I will have definite responsibilities and the position will offer me a chance for advancement in the field of administration and his chapter in administration and I'll leave the coaching to the younger guys."

Coach Pete Kelley will not be easily replaced and his chapter in the basketball record books will be around for ever, but the time has come to hang up the sneakers and in Kinston wish Kelley the best of luck.

New Sports Service Offered At ESJC

Attention area coaches! Athletic programs at schools throughout southeast Alabama will benefit from a new service that will be offered through Enterprise State Junior College beginning August 9.

The service is a cooperative effort between ESJC and the Hughston Sports Medicine Foundation, Inc., of Columbus, Georgia. Twice a month a team of specialists from the Hughston Clinic will visit the ESJC campus to provide free examinations of athletic injuries for local junior high, senior high and college teams. If the exam reveals a need for medical treatment, the student will be referred to their family physician.

The purpose of the program is two-fold. "First," stated Kenny Howard, director of Sports Relations for the Hughston Sports Medicine Foundation, "we hope to be able through early diagnosis to prevent many athletic injuries and illnesses."

The Hughston Clinic personnel will also be gathering information for a study on the effects of athletics on the aging process. For more information, call Dean Craig at 347-2623, ext.246 or 1-800-874-3399.

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"The elder unto the elect lady and her children, whom I love in the truth, and not I only, but also all they that have known the truth."

For the truth's sake, which dwell in us, and shall be with us, mercy and grace be with you, and peace, from God the Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of the Father, in truth and love.

I rejoiced greatly that I found of your children walking in truth, as we have received a commandment from the Father. And now I beseech thee, lady, not as though I wrote a new commandment unto thee, but that which we had from the beginning, that we love one another. "2 John 1:1-5"

***Thinking of you, praying for you:

Mrs. Velma Caldwell, Mrs. Fannie Brooks, Pvt. E. I. Willie C. Tillis, Jr., Rev. Jim Reynolds, Mrs. Lillian Tanks, Miss Mattie Ruth Henderson, the Winters family, Mrs. Jackie Richardson, Mrs. Annie Siler, Mrs. Annie M. Daniels.

***The Rocky Head Missionary Baptist Church of Elba will have revival Aug. 15 - 19. Rev. A.R. Williams, pastor; Rev. Ben Matthews, evangelist. Services will be held at 7:30 each evening.

Theme: Take my yoke upon you and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart, and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light." Mt. 11:29-30.

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Willie is the son of Mr. Willie Calvin Tillis Sr. and Mrs. Jeanette Tillis Elba, and Mrs. Gwen Rush and Mr. Russell Rush, Montgomery.

His grandparents are Lorette Henry, Elba, and Rufus Tillis, Opp; Ernest and Ruby Ellison, Elba.

While in South Carolina, Willie Calvin had the pleasure of visiting his first cousin, A.C. Long, whom he last saw in 1954.

Again, congratulations upon your graduation, Willie C. Jr., and God bless Elba is proud of you! ERIA

College Days For Retired Persons To Be Held At ESJC

College Days for Retired Persons, a special two-day seminar for older adults, will be held on the campus of Enterprise State Junior College Thursday and Friday, Sept. 1 and 2.

Participants may choose from both educational and leisure activities ranging from arts and crafts to family life and consumer issues.

Interested persons should register before the August 26 deadline.

For more information call Dr. Mary Bauer at 347-2623, or contact the Alabama Cooperative Extension Service in Coffee or Geneva County.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER POWER

Default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by that certain Real Estate Mortgage executed by David M. Enfinger and Jackie L. Enfinger, husband and wife, to the United States of America, acting by and through the Farmers Home Administration, United States Department of Agriculture, dated September 4, 1987, recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 85-A, Pages 253-256; and re-recorded May 31, 1988, in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 86-A, Pages 801-804;

The entire indebtedness secured by the said Real Estate Mortgage having been declared due and payable as therein provided, the undersigned, the United States of America, acting through its authorized representative, under and in compliance with the power of sale in said Real Estate Mortgage, will proceed to sell at public outcry, for cash, to the highest bidder in front of the Court house of said County, during the legal hours of sale, on the 1st day of September, 1988, the following described property conveyed by said Real Estate Mortgage, to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA By: /s/ DALE N. RICHEY State Director (Alabama) Farmers Home Administration United States Department of Agriculture 8-11-3c

Willie, known as J.T., is in Ft. Sill, Okla., taking his AIT. His MOS is field artillery. Congratulations Willie on your



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Middleton Family Reunion

Many family members and friends from several states and surrounding areas came to the third annual William Middleton Sr. family reunion at the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Andalusia, on July 30. The devotional service was conducted by William Middleton Jr., with lunch in the fellowship hall of the church.

Members and friends later traveled to Point A Lake in River Falls.

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

STRICTURES FOR SALE ON PROJECT NO. F-333(2)

1. The State of Alabama Highway Department, through its agent, the Seventh Division Engineer, Troy, Alabama, will sell to the highest bidder, certain structures and improvements on Project No. F-333(2), Relocation of US 84 in Elba, Coffee County, Alabama on the 16th day of August, 1988. This sale is by sealed bid only and must be accompanied by a separate certified or cashier's check made payable to the State of Alabama Highway Department in an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the amount of the bid on each structure or improvement. Cash will not be accepted. The State of Alabama Highway Department assumes no responsibility for any act of vandalism or pilferage either before or after bids are taken. All bids are subject to the approval of the State of Alabama Highway Department and the Federal Highway Administration, a Federal Agency.

2. Sealed bids will be received until 10:00 a.m. on the 16th of August, 1988, in the office of the Division Engineer located in the City of Troy, Alabama, at which time bids will be opened and announced publicly. Bids must be sealed and signed. All bids must be further accompanied by a statement as to the disposition, whether structure or improvement is to be salvaged or replaced. If replaced, furnish a legal description of the property on which the structure or improvement is to be moved. All checks will be promptly returned to the unsuccessful bidders. Checks from the successful bidders will be retained and applied against the purchase price of the structure or improvement. The bidder's name and return address must appear on the outside of the envelope, and the envelope must be marked "Bid on Sale of Structures or Improvements on Tract No. 12, Project No. F-333(2)".

3. Forms for submitting bids and information concerning these structures or improvements may be obtained by contacting Mr. James L. Groover, State of Alabama Highway Department, P.O. Box 647, Troy, Alabama 36081.

4. The purchaser must remove such structures or improvements from the right of way within thirty (30) calendar days from time of notice that the bid has been accepted. The removal of structures or improvements shall be pursued in a continuous operation after notice of acceptance of bid.

5. The successful bidder also shall be required to deposit with the State of Alabama Highway Department an additional certified or cashier's check in an amount as specified in list of structures or improvements to be sold. This deposit is made for the purpose of assuring that the bidder will leave the lot in a safe and clean condition. Unsafe wells or basements must be filled and removed from the area. After inspection of the site by the State of Alabama Highway Department reveals that these conditions have been met, the required deposit will be returned to the bidder.

6. The successful bidder also shall comply with all county and city health regulations, including rodent eradication, governing the demolition or removal of buildings.

7. The following structure will be sold on the above mentioned date: Tract No. 12: One 6-room wood frame dwelling located left of centerline survey station 106+70 and being at the southeast intersection of Hickman Avenue and Baker Avenue in Elba, Alabama. Required deposit - \$400.00.

By order of the State of Alabama Highway Department.

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Jinright Completes Basic Training In N.J.

SN Stirling Scott Jinright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stirling Jinright of Rt. 1, Elba, recently completed basic training with the United States Coast Guard at Cape May, N.J.

Upon completing the course, he was named honor graduate of the company, ranking first in a group of 58 men.

Duties are located aboard the Coast Guard Cutter Durable (WMEC). During interim he will be touring the Caribbean Sea.

He is currently stationed in St. Petersburg, Fla. along with his wife Denise and son Michael.

Jinright is the grandson of Mrs. Myrtle McInyre, Elba, and Mr. and Mrs. Laraine Jinright, Jack.

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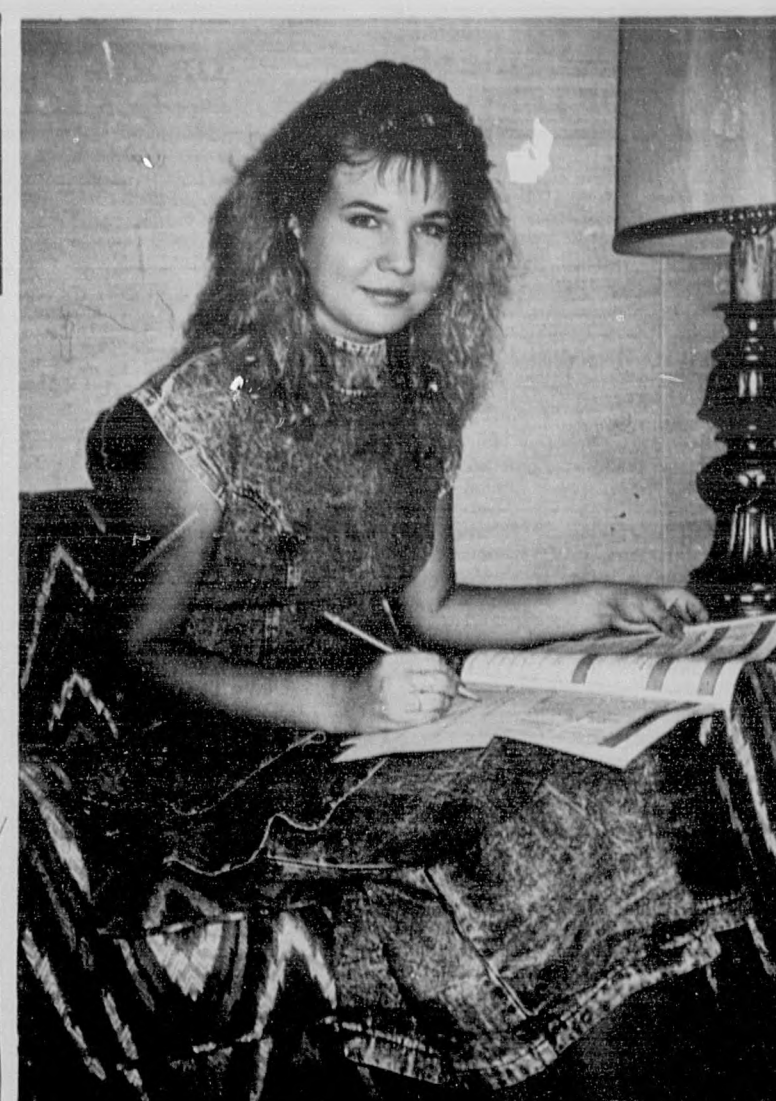
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Abuse Of Elderly Is Growing Problem

The abuse of elderly or disabled adults is a growing problem, a problem of which most people are not aware.

"Reports of abuse, neglect, and financial exploitation of adults are increasing every year," said Coffee County Department of Human Resources Director Ron Smith.

"We expect these reports to increase in number as the public learns more about this tragedy and as the population becomes older."

In 1987, the Department of Human Resources received more than 5,200 reports of elderly abuse statewide. This was a 24 percent increase over 1986. The Coffee County Department of Human Resources last year, but Smith says the problem is greater than this.

The most common example of financial exploitation is when someone - often a relative - steals an elderly or disabled adult's Social Security or pension check.

"Human Resources can provide protective services to these adults if we are aware of the situation," said Smith. "If you suspect that an adult is being abused, neglected, or exploited, call us at 897-3424." In addition, the Governor's Task Force on Elderly Abuse maintains a statewide toll-free elderly abuse hotline. The number is 1-800-458-7214.

Reports may also be given to the police or sheriff's department.

Persons who report are immune under state law from any criminal or civil liability that could result, and callers may remain anonymous if they wish. Physicians and other health care providers are required by law to report suspected cases of abuse.

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